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EA/ROC:HJFELDMAN (DRAFT)  
DOE:GHELFRICH (DRAFT)  
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S/AS:RKELLY (INFO)  
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TO AMEMBASSY TAIPEI PRIORITY  
INFO WHITE HOUSE PRIORITY 0687

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E.O. 11652: XGDS-3

TAGS: MNUC, TW

SUBJECT: GROC REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION OF POINT CONTAINED  
IN U.S. NUCLEAR DEMARCHE

REFS: (A) TAIPEI 6068; (B) STATE 225046; (C) TAIPEI 6065

1. DEPARTMENT AGREES THAT IT WOULD BE INADVISABLE TO GIVE  
A SPECIFIC RESPONSE TO THE GROC'S REQUEST FOR CLARIFICATION  
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CITED IN REFERENCE A. EMBASSY SHOULD REPLY AS SUGGESTED  
THAT THE REFERENCE TO "ANY OTHER FACILITY IN THE ROC OR  
ABROAD" WAS INCLUDED IN THE TALKING POINTS TO COVER ANY  
AND ALL POSSIBILITIES AND TO AVOID ANY RISK OF AMBIGUITY.

2. WE LOOK FORWARD TO RECEIVING REPORT OF FOREIGN  
MINISTRY'S ORAL RESPONSE TO DEMARCHE AND WRITTEN ACKNOW-

LEDGMENT OF SECRETARY VANCE'S LETTER TO PRESIDENT CHIANG.

3. WITH REGARD TO PRESIDENT CHIANG'S INVITATION TO HAVE  
U.S. SCIENTISTS WORK IN ROC RESEARCH FACILITIES, WE ARE  
RESTUDYING THIS QUESTION AND, PENDING FURTHER GUIDANCE,  
EMBASSY SHOULD NOT COMMENT TO ROC ON MERITS OF SUCH AN  
ARRANGEMENT. CHRISTOPHER

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## Message Attributes

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